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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Polo et al.

For: **METHOD FOR THE QUANTITATION OF** 

**ALPHAVIRUS REPLICON PARTICLES (as** 

amended herein)

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on June 3, 2003, for which a response is in initially due on or before September 3, 2003. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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